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FOR ARA/ APU TONKIN

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E. O. 11652: XGDS

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SUBJECT: ARGENTINE ELECTION RESULTS: REPORT NO. FOUR

REF: BA-1626

FOR ARA/ APU TONKIN

1. MINISTRY OF INTERIOR HAS NOT GIVEN OUT ANY NEW RESULTS, BUT IT DID ANNOUNCE AT 11 :30 A. M . THAT THERE IS LARGER PERCENTAGE OF VOTE UNCOUNTED THAN INDICATED BY 6:30 A. M. ANNOUNCEMENT (SEE REFTEL). MINISTRY OFFICIALS SUGGEST AS MANY AS TEN THOUSAND POLLING PLACES MAY STILL BE OUT, RATHER THAN 1142 INDICATED EARLIER.

2. INEVITABLY, FRENTE IS GRUMBLING PUBLICLY OVER DELAY AND GOVERNMENT' S CHANGE OF STORY. EMBASSY HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH FRENTE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES WHO HAVE BEEN MONITORING VOTE COUNT AT MINISTRY OF INTERIOR. THEY INDICATE THAT ACCORDING TO THEIR FIGURES THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY FOUR TO FIVE THOUSAND POLLING PLACES STILL OUTSTANDING, MOST OF WHICH ARE IN BUENOS
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AIRES PROVINCE. FRENTE REPS INDICATE THAT FOR MOMENT THEY RELATIVELY SATISFIED THAT GOVERNMENT'S CHANGE OF STORY DOES NOT INDICATE ANY INTENT TO DEFRAUD. THEY STATE THEY ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY, THAT EVEN IF FRENTE BARELY MISSES 50 PERCENT MARK, THEY HAVE ALREADY BEEN IN TOUCH WITH RADICALES WHO INDICATE THEY WILL WITHDRAW IF FRENTE TOTAL IS MUCH ABOVE 45 PERCENT. EMBASSY NOW ENDEBANON; MALE; GREY HAIR; HAZEL EYES; 175 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT #1662 ISSUED 11/16/68; AUTO PARTS TRADING COMPANY, SHIAH, BEIRUT, LEBANON; BUSINESS; ETD & ETA UNKNOWN; PORT OF ARRIVAL, AIRLINE AND FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

6. AOUN, FOUAD DAHER; AKA : ROGER; 9/27/43; ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT; MALE; MALE; DARK BROWN HAIR; BLACK EYES; 180 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT #2365 ISSUED 1/24/72; NACY STREET, BAYDOUN BUILDING, RAS BEIRUT, BEIRUT, LEBANON; TOURIST; ETD & ETA 3/23/73; NEW YORK; PAN AM AIRLINES; FLIGHT # PA-001.

7. BARNIEH, ANWAR; 1916; DAMASCUS, SYRIA; MALE; BLACK HAIR; BLUE EYES; 164 CMS; PHOTO; SYRIAN; SYRIAN PPT #9288/69 ISSUED 7/26/69; 10 MAZRA' A CHAHABANDER, DAMASCUS, SYRIA; VISIT; ETD 4/20/73 ETA END OF APRIL, 1973; NEW YORK; AIR FRANCE AIRLINES; FLIGHT # UNKNOWN; 221(G).

8. BARNIEH, NAZMIEH; AKA: BERNIEH; 1915; DAMASCUS, SYRIA; FEMALE; BLACK HAIR; HAZEL EYES; 153 CMS; PHOTO; SYRIAN; SYRIAN PPT #1334/73 ISSUED 2/13/73; MAZRA' A CHAHABANDER #10, DAMASCUS, SYRIAN; VISIT; ETD 4/20/73; ETA END OF ARRIL, 1973; NEW YORK; AIR FRANCE AIRLINES; FLIGHT # UNKNOWN; 221(G).

9. AL- DAKER, MOUHAMAD OUSSAMA; 10/29/47; DAMASCUS, SYRIA; CHESTNUT HAIR; CHESTNUT EYES; 186 CMS; PHOTO; SYRIAN; SYRIAN PPT #10703/72 ISSUED 9/30/72; 73 NOURI- PACHA STREET, DAMASCUS, SYRIA; TRAINING; ETD & ETA BEFORE 4/2/73; CHICAGO; AIRLINE AND FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

10. FARAH, JEAN ELIAS; 2/6/46; FATKA, LEBANON; MALE; BLACK HAIR; BROWN EYES; 172 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT# 41400 ISSUED 12/22/72; HARET SAKHR, JOUNIEH, LEBANON; ETD & ETA 4/23/73; NEW YORK; PAN AM AIRLINES; FLIGHT # PA-001.

11. FARAH, JOHN GEORGE; 1/1/54; KOUSBA, LEBANON; MALE; UNCLASSIFIED

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BROWN HAIR; BROWN EYES; 165 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE
PPT #4065 ISSUED 2/17/73; KOUSBA, LE- KOURA, LEBANON;
STUDENT; ETD & ETA MARCH, 1973; MIAMI, FLORIDA; PAN AM
AIRLINES; FLIGHT # UNKNOWN 221(G).

12. GHANMA, AMJAD DEEB; 1917; JORDAN; MALE; RED HAIR; HAZEL
EYES; 172 CMS; PHOTO; JORDANIAN; JORDANIAN PPT #275010
ISSUED 2/1/73; C/ O TAPLINE, P. O. BOX 1348, BEIRUT, LEBANON;
ATTEND MEDICAL CONFERENCE; ETD 4/10/73; ETA 4/14/73; CHICAGO;
BOAC AIRLINES; FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

13. GHATTAS, WADAD; 1941; ZAHLEH, LEBANON; FEMALE; BROWN
HAIR; HAZEL EYES; 160 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT #
6059 ISSUED 3/8/73; C/ O MIDDLE EAST AIRLINES; BEIRUT,
BEIRUT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, LEBANON; VISIT; ETD & ETA
3/30/73; LOS ANGELES; AIR FRANCE AIRLINE; FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

14. HADDAD, JEANNETTE KHALIL; AKA: SAKHNINI; NEE: WARWAR;
9/6/35; RAMALLAH, JORDAN; FEMALE; BROWN HAIR; BLACK EYES;
168 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT #337 ISSUED 2/20/73;
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, P. O. BOX 71 51, BEIRUT, LEBANON;
VISIT; ETD & ETA FIRST PART OF APRIL, 1973; BOSTON; AIRLINE
AND FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

15. HABIB, GEORGE ELIAS; 7/22/41; HAFIA, PALESTINE; MALE;
BROWN HAIR; BROWN EYES; 174 CMS; SLEBANESE; LEBANESE PPT#
15893 ISSUED 6/11/68; HAY EL- JEDID; MATAR & BOUEIZ STREET,
SILBAQ BUILDING, BEIRUT, LEBANON; TOURIST AS TOUR
CONDUCTOR; ETD & ETA 4/1/73; NEW YORK; ALITALIA AIRLINES;
FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

16. HANHAN, TAFIDA NICOLAS; 1932; JAFFA, PALESTINE; FEMALE;
BROWN HAIR; BROWN EYES; 165 CMS; PHOTO; LEBANESE; LEBANESE
PPT #33904 ISSUED 10/17/69; ST. LOUIS STREET, ASHRAFIEH,
DAKDOUK BUILDING, BEIRUT, LEBANON; IMMIGRATION; ETD & ETA
UNKNOWN; NEW YORK; AIRLINE AND FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.

17. HANNA, AMAL SHOWKAT; NEE: MANSOUR: 1956; BAGHDAD,
IRAQ; FEMALE; BROWN HAIR; BROWN EYES; 160 CMS; PHOTO; IRAQI;
IRAQI PPT #003269; ISSUED 11/15/72; HOTEL ANN, PLOMPY STREET,
BEIRUT, LEBANON; IMMIGRATION; ETD & ETA UNKNOWN; DETROIT;
AIRLINE AND FLIGHT # UNKNOWN.
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18. HANNA, NIDAL M; 1959; BAGHDAD, IRAQ; FEMALE; BLACK
HAIR; BLACK EYES; 158 CMS; PHOTO; IRAQI; IRAQI PPT # B/179241
ISSUED 6/13/72; HOTEL ANN, OLOMPY STREET, BEIRUT, LEBANON;

IMMIGRATION; ETD & ETA UNKNOWN; DETROIT; AIRLINE AND FLIGHT
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